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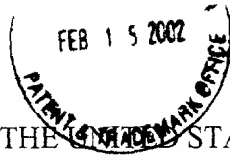
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At the time of filing the above-references application, benefit of foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 was claimed. Submitted herewith is a certified copy of priority document number 2000-365276 to perfect the claim of priority. Acknowledgment is respectfully requested.

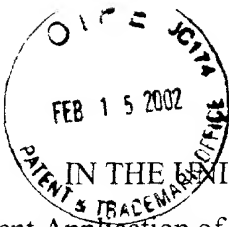
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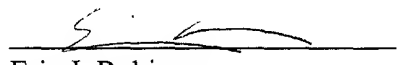
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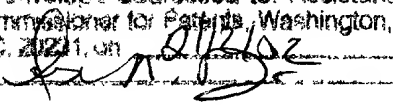
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted, under 37 CFR 1.53(b) dated January 18, 2002, submitted herewith is an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, an English translation of the application with Declaration, substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and a copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted along with the fees under 37 CFR 1.16. (Statutory Basic Filing Fee - \$740, Surcharge - \$130, Translation Fee - \$130 and Additional Claims Fee - \$504).

The above fees are attached herewith. Should there be any additional fees required for proper filing of the attached documents, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2380. Prompt issuance of a filing receipt is respectfully requested.

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Filing Date Granted

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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1000.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart

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see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

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